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AMENDMENT IN REPLY TO OFFICIAL ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated August 11, 2004, please find enclosed a Revocation of Power of Attorney with New Power of Attorney and Change of Correspondence Address by the Assignee in favor of Customer No. 47548; a Statement Under 37 CFR 3.73(b) by the Assignee; a copy of the Assignment from the inventors to the Assignee; an IDS form 1449 citing U.S. Patents 6,463,870 and 6,408,781; and four sheets of formal drawings. Please charge any required fee to Novak Druce LLP Deposit Account No. 14-1437.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawing begin on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including the Amended drawing figure is attached following page 5 of this paper.